

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1149

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Robyn Nabors, on her selection as 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year at Putnam County Adult High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Nabors has recently been selected 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year by Putnam County Adult High School, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; she also received this honor in 2004; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors received her bachelor's degree in secondary education with an emphasis in biology from Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors has served with acumen and alacrity as a high school science and math teacher at Putnam County Adult High School for nine exemplary years, where she also renders stellar service as Chairperson of the science department and Attendance Advisor; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Nabors is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, she is a valued member of the Putnam County Education Association, the Tennessee Education Association, and the National Education Association; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, her many professional accomplishments aside, Mrs. Nabors is most appreciative of the love, support, and companionship she shares with her family; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors is an active and devout member of her church, where she faithfully serves her fellow Christians on the local and regional level; at her local church, she is a Sunday school teacher, Children's Church Director, co-Director for Vacation Bible School, and a guide for children's worship time and Bible study; and

WHEREAS, at the regional level, Mrs. Nabors tirelessly serves as the Missions Booster for the region consisting of Tennessee, Alabama, and Florida, and she and her husband team direct the Regional Youth Camp; she also edits Sunday school literature for the primary grades before it is distributed to other churches across the nation; and

WHEREAS, her community service also extends to helping the Cub Scouts, and she is the Committee Chairperson, as well as the Assistant Den Leader of her son's pack, where she is famous for her delicious cupcakes; and

WHEREAS, Robyn Nabors truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Robyn Nabors on being chosen as 2008-2009 Teacher of the Year at Putnam County Adult High School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.